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Col. Christopher Knight  
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Dear Col. Knight:

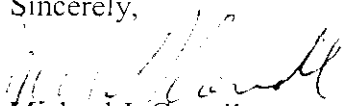
I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to both thank you and to commend one of your Officers.

I am the 4<sup>th</sup> Vice President of The International Chiefs of Police Association and as such I spent our Conference Week in the Miami Area along with about 14,500 of our members. Our responsibility during this time is to meet with as many members as possible, attending Committee Meetings, etc. We could not have carried out the responsibility without the assistance you and your department rendered to us. The Officers and vehicles that you provided were a godsend. Because of their assistance I was able to have a very successful Conference. Thank you so much.

My second purpose for this letter is to bring to your attention the professionalism and department loyalty of Trooper Melvin Washington who is stationed in the Southern Region as a Fraud Investigator. His assignment as my escort was something he undertook with a positive attitude and good sense of humor. He was polite, informative, timely and most important a good guy. I have been in Law Enforcement for 39 years and rarely have I met a better example of what a Law Enforcement Officer should be. He is a credit to himself and your department.

I am in the debt of you, your department and Trooper Melvin Washington.

Sincerely,

  
Michael J. Carroll  
Chief of Police  
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